Economy and Neighbourhoods Scrutiny Panel – Proposed items and work programme for 2017/18

Working document – Based on discussion at first panel (4 Oct) but will be updated at regular intervals to acknowledge changes

Issue	The specific issues to address – The focus and purpose etc	Outcomes – What do we want to achieve	When are we going to consider the issue	Who do we need to invite and involve	How are we going to tackle it i.e. the methodology
Priority 1 – Housing	First meeting (1). General update (State of nation) (2). Kirklees— Policy and strategy (3). Things to include or mention:- - Changes in legislation and policy - Planning and land - Investment in housing - Allocation of social housing - Demand for supported housing	Preliminary discussion of the key issues Identification of specific issues for debate at subsequent meetings	7 November 2017	Paul Kemp Naz Parkar Simon Taylor Helen Geldart	Presentation and discussion to highlight specific issues for consideration and review in subsequent meetings
	Possible items for subsequent meeting(s) Follow up on specific issues from the first meeting Age designation and tenancies? Supporting people?			KNH? Local RSL's? Local developers?	

Priority 2 – Transport	Kirklees - Priorities in terms of local and regional developments		
	The impact on the development of our towns and villages centres		
	Improving the access and travel to/from Kirklees		
	Improving disabled access to public transport		
	Developing better services and higher passenger numbers from our smaller stations		
	Growing demand for the rail links: Hudds to Sheffield - Hudds to Leeds - Hudds to Manchester		
	Maintaining and improving bus services		
	Opportunities to develop local park and ride schemes		
Priority 3 – Towns and communities	Plans for Dewsbury and Huddersfield The challenge and future for other town centres and villages "Fit for the future?" What can they/we do to help shape this?		

Waste management strategy	Our current policies and working practices – Public perceptions Recycling rates New government expectations and targets Problems with access to our recycling sites in Kirklees. Access to sites in our neighbouring authorities – New agreement required? Fly tipping in Kirklees – The costs and facts and our response (Kirklees and our neighbouring authorities) Leeds Road - The opportunities to revisit the potential development of the heat and power scheme Work on new contract and strategy		
Development of the new skills strategy for Kirklees	Progress with the new strategy - What are we trying to change and influence etc		

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